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I am fed up with this unfounded and ridiculous lawsuit. Microsoft has done nothing to harm consumers. The only entities harmed by Microsoft are those unable to compete with its far superior products. In my mind this is not a basis for a lawsuit it is the way competition is supposed to be. I've read that the states pushing the lawsuit want a lower cost product available to consumers. That's odd because 1) pricing is up to the producer of the product. Why don't they tell car makers to lower the prices of their popular SUVs? Because it's insane that's why and 2) I have never heard anyone say "I didn't buy a copy of Windows because it was just too darned expensive!" The lawsuit should be settled and put behind us. It's not in the interest of the people or our economy and only serves the sore losers that cannot compete against Microsoft. Hey I have an idea! Why don't the aggressors in this lawsuit go after Walmart! KMart couldn't compete against Walmart so obviously Walmart must be guilty of something!